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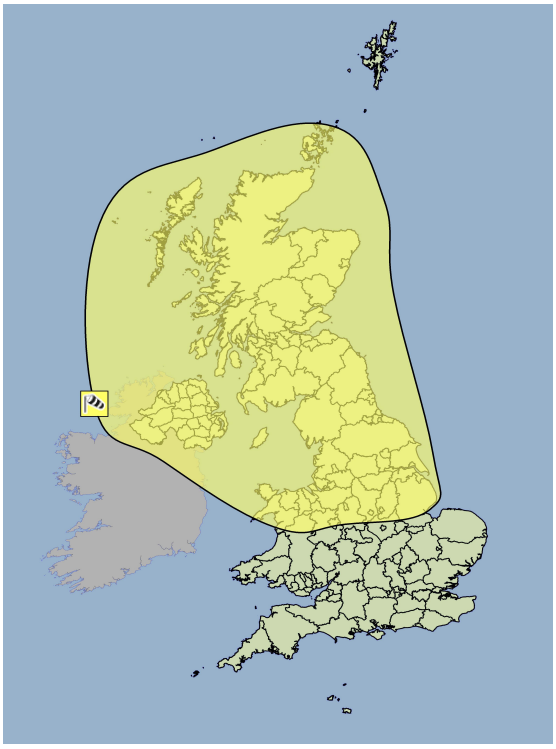

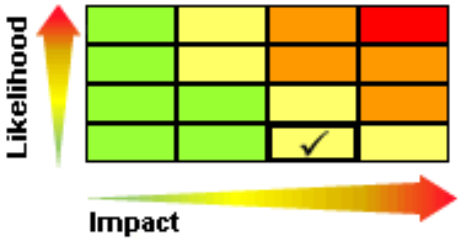

Chief Forecasters Assessment
A large, vigorous area of low pressure is expected to move eastwards, passing just north of Scotland on Monday. This will bring a swathe of very strong west or southwesterly across much of the UK. At present the greatest wind strengths are expected to cross central and northern parts. There is uncertainty regarding the exact track and depth of this system and the alert will be updated in the coming days as new information becomes available.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert** of **Wind**

Valid from **00:05 on Mon, 01st Feb 2016** until **23:55 on Mon, 01st Feb 2016**

Southwesterly winds will strengthen later on Sunday to bring gale or severe gale force winds across many northern and central parts of the UK through Monday. Gusts of 60-70 mph are likely quite widely, with gusts to around 80 mph possible, particularly in exposed parts of the northwest and perhaps locally to the east of high ground.

Please be aware of the risk of disruption to transport as well as power supplies.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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